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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA:

Asst to DCI

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SUBJECT:

Night Reconnaissance of a Cuban Port

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i. In response to telephonic inquiry this morning on the above subject. I report as follows: I have talked with Colonel Steakiey of the JRC and confirm that there is no night reconnaissance capability which the DCD could turn against Cuban ports which would not involve a flash cartridge. Whereas Colonel Steakley preferred to advise the Special Group himself, the fact is that the craft would probably be a B-66 or AD-3 flying at from 3 to 5,000 feet. I thought you might be interested in this in advance.

2. My hunch from this comment is that the DOD would probably consider a poor second choice the use of the

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